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SHARED ELECTRICAL AND OPTICAL

TRANSMISSION EQUIPMENT OF PLUG-AND-JACK TYPE, AND ELECTRONIC DEVICE

EQUIPPED THEREWITH

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

## MS PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Sir:

The following Preliminary Amendments and Remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes:

Amendments to the Specification

Remarks